

We envision a Rhode Island where everyone ages strong and can easily connect digitally to people and opportunities.

Today, we live in a digital world: from how we shop, work and bank to how we socialize and connect to information and resources. The internet has emerged as a necessary and basic tool of modern life, and yet over a guarter of older Rhode Islanders lack internet access. We aim to change that. The digiAGE Collaborative brings together industry, government and community partners to help bridge this digital divide for older adults through coordinated investments in smart devices, internet services, digital literacy training, and online content creation.



## **Smart Devices**

Increase the availability of user-centric technology – from tablets and laptops to hotspots and smart-home hubs.



## Internet Services

Expand free or low-cost internet access among older people, adults living with disabilities, and their family caregivers.



## Digital Literacy

Provide free, personalized training to new users of technology and intermediate instruction for users with some digital experience.



## Online Content

Develop and curate trusted, web-based programming and platforms designed to promote socialization and opportunities for older adults.

We invite you to become a digiAGER and help accelerate the work to promote digital equity in Rhode Island. Become a sponsor or learn more about the expanding list of digital programs and opportunities available to older Rhode Islanders by calling 401.462.3000 or visiting us online at www.oha.ri.gov/digiAGE.

































